Statement

Year-wise Projects Sanctioned in Andhra Pradesh under Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC)

(Rs. in lakh)

Year of Sanction	No. of Projects Sanctioned	Total Project Outlay	Central Share	State Share	Beneficiary Contribution
1999-2000	4	5960.79	3962.12	1236.33	762.34
2000-2001	1	1700.80	1129.53	327.21	244.06
2001-2002	5	7781.79	5127.42	1553.5	1100.87
2002-2003	8	13806.66	8654.9	3003.48	2148.28
2003-2004	4	6768.26	3936.57	1568.75	1262.94
TOTAL	22	36018.30	22810.54	7689.27	5518.49

Non-utilisation of funds under IAY and ABWSP in Andhra Pradesh

1911. DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Central funds released under Indira Awaas Yojana and Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme to Andhra Pradesh were not fully utilised during the last three years;

(b) if so, the details of total allocations made, total releases made and unspent balance under each of these heads during the said period, year-wise; and

(c) the remedial measures Government have taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ANNASAHEB M.K. PATIL): (a) and (b) Funds allocated, releases made and unspent balance pertaining to Andhra Pradesh under Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY) during last three years are as under:

(Rs. in lakh)

Year	Fund Allocated	Fnds Released	Utilisation	Unspent Balance
2000-2001	14714.67	14669.21	15165.63	796.45
2001-2002	15725.93	24115.19	15553.62	9782.27
2002-2003	16093	16476.20	19644.84	-1199.65
TOTAL	46534.20	55260.60	50364.09	9379.07

The funds released to Andhra Pradesh under ARWSP (Normal Programme) during last three years have been fully utilised. Funds allocated and releases made pertaining to Andhra Pradesh under ARWSP & ARWSP-DDP during last three years are as under:-

(i) ARWSP-NORMAL PROGRAMME

(Rs. in lakhs)

Year	Fund Allocated under ARWSP	Funds Released
2000-01	11600.00	11600.00
2001-02	13044.00	13044.00
2002-03	13477.00	12831.42

(ii) ARWSP-DDP

(Rs. in lakhs)

Year	Fund Allocated	Funds Released
2000-01	1659.00	1659.00
2001-02	845.68	676.54
2002-03	1388.00	1342.00

(c) To ensure higher utilisation of funds, the Ministry deducts Central share to the tune of 3/4 times of the amount exceeding permissible opening

balance in the district (*i.e.* 15% of the district allocation of the previous year) from the amount of second instalment.

Benefits of Rural Development Schemes

1912. DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state the details of foolproof arrangements Government have made to ensure that the benefits of the rural development schemes reach the targeted persons in Andhra Pradesh and rest of the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ANNASAHEB M.K. PATIL): The Ministry has developed a comprehensive system of monitoring the implementation of the programmes, including utilisation of funds, through mechanisms such as regular visits to the field by Officers of the Ministry of Rural Development, meetings of the Performance Review Committee, Periodic Progress Reports from State Governments, Concurrent and Quick Evaluation of Programmes etc. Vigilance and Monitoring Committees, with greater role for Members of Parliament, have also been reconstituted at State and District levels, to make them vital instruments of effective monitoring of the implementation of the programmes of the Ministry, so that the benefits of the Rural Development Schemes reach the targeted persons in all the States, including Andhra Pradesh.

Offer from Pakistani textile industry

1913. SHRIMATI SHABANA AZMI: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether as a goodwill gesture, the Pakistani textile industry has offered Indian exporters a share in their unused quota for exporting garments to the European Union and the United States;

(b) if so, whether the arrangement is expected to benefit the Indian textile industry, which has a high level of demand for certain products categories but is unable to meet that demand due to quota restrictions;

(c) if so, whether any agreement in this regard was signed recently; and